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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH THE SEQUENCE RULES

Sir:

In response to the July 2, 2003 Notice to Comply With The Sequence Rules in the above-identified matter, Applicant submits the enclosed replacement compact disc and hard copy of the sequence.

REMARKS

The July 2, 2003 Notice to Comply indicates that the computer readable form submitted on April 8, 2003 contains a total of 11 sequences while the paper copy has a total of 13 sequences. As such, the sequences contained therein are not in compliance with the Sequence Rules, 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.821-1.825. The instant sequence is

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being submitted herewith in hard copy form and compact disk form such that the each form contains a total of 13 sequences.

The applicant submits that the content of the computer readable copy is the same as the paper copy. No new matter is submitted herein.

Applicant requests entry of the sequence listing into the instant specification.

Respectfully submitted,

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